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## (54) ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT WITH DISPLAY DEVICE

### (57)Abstract:

**PURPOSE:** To attain the long life of a battery by making a backlight for a display bright and easy to see at the time of using an outside power source, and suppressing the brightness of the backlight at the time of driving a battery, and to improve a portability by making an equipment compact and light in weight.

**CONSTITUTION:** An electronic equipment 2 with a display device equipped with a display device 19 which is driven by a power supplied from a freely attachable and detachable power unit 1, is equipped with a control means 20 which controls the state of a switch 5 in the power unit 1 by a control signal 16 supplied from the electronic equipment side at the time of connecting the power unit 1 with the electronic equipment 2. Then, a driving circuit 6 of the display device is operated while the switch is turned on.

